GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

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SPECIAL ECONOMIC PACKAGE TO STATES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to provide special economic package to the States for urban development;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a)to(c): Government of India has launched the Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) on 3rd December, 2005, which envisages an investment of Rs. 1,00,000 crore with committed Central Government assistance of Rs. 50,000 crore. The State Governments and the Urban Local Bodies shall contribute rest of the amount. The objective of the Mission is to ensure integrated development of urban infrastructure and services, secure effective linkages between asset creation and management and to ensure adequate investment of funds to address deficiencies in the urban infrastructure. It lays particular emphasis on providing basic services to urban poor. No special economic package to the States for Urban development beyond JNNURM is under consideration outside the scope of 11th Plan.